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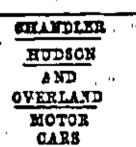
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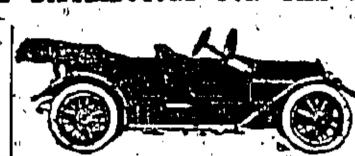
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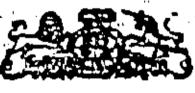




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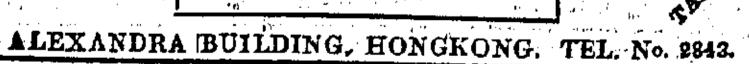
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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

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THE PROLETARIAT.

GLASGOW UNIONS FEDERATE.

for the purpose of amalgamating a portance to the mission to Poland number of the Unions, a resolution was regarding the establishment of a passed condemning the action of the strong and independent state of authorities, and demanding a public Poland as one of the chief means of inquiry and the release of the arrested | circumventing Germany's ambitious strike leaders.

The Glasgow operative bakers whole of eastern Europe." decided not to strike, but to negotiate for shorter hours...

TUBES RUNNING.

LONDON, Feb. 9. The London underground railways company announces that the Tubes It is expected there will be full returns for January 1918. services on all lines by to-morrow. DISCUSSING THE SITUATION.

LONDON, Feb. 9. The Premier since early morning has been conferring at No. 10, Downing, Street with the Ministers, including Mr. Bonar Law, Sir Robert Horne, Sir Albert Stanley, and numerous officials. It is understood that besides dealing with the labour situation, the Premier also inquired into the recent trouble among the

Mr. Thomas, M.P. secretary the Railwaymen's Union, conferred with his executive in London this morning. Mass meetings of railway men are being held in London this afternoon to discuss the national situation.

PARIS CONFERENCE.

THE ECONOMIC COUNCIL. LONDON, Feb. 9.

to explain the scope of the supreme council that afternoon reached an ference will be quite able to settle economic council cabled yesterday, agreement regarding the necessity, said the council was an important step in view of Germany's attitude, of Colonial matters. in the transition to peace conditions. making the conditions for renewal It may possibly become permanent of the armistice more severe, by inunder the League of Nations. Any stituting control of demobilisation how, it will' presently have a large and the production of factories which share in reconstruction, and help were previously, engaged in war Foch in an advisory capacity.

THE PRINKIPO CONFERENCE. " LONDON, Feb. 9.

M. Pichon personally opined that the Prinkipo conference would not meet unless further acceptances were received. He pointed out that the Bolsheviks' reply did not answer the Allied invitation but merely intimated from Dusseldorf that a strike of the the Soviets were ready to negotiate, middle classes was officially declared whereas the Allies had advised them over the Spartacists conceding the that if all the Russian Governments chief demands of the bourgeoisie ceased fighting and foregathered at strikers. Prinkipo, we would meet them and help them to settle their grievances.

UKRAINE SOVIETS ACCEPT. LONDON, Feb. 9. "Le Temps" states Ukrainian Soviets have accepted the invitation to confer with the Allies but prefer Paris to Prinkipo, and would rathe

have a later date than Feb. 15.. FRENCH THINK GERMANS WANT MORE WAR. LONDON, Feb. 10.

The Paris newspapers, explaining the decision to make the armistice conditions more severe, declare that Foch was recently compelled to use strength. threats to make the German plenipotentiaries attend a sitting of the armistice commission. The attitude of the German plenipotentiaries had changed in the last fortnight. They now declare they will only accept peace without victory. Moreover the French military authorities believe the Germans have stopped demobilising, and have concentrated eighteen divisions on the eastern front under Hindenburg. Hence the Allies consider Germany must be brought to realise the impossibility of resisting the peace terms offered

her. The papers state that Foch told the supreme war council the Germans were beginning to forge they were beaten. They had been slow in handing over transport, an had been making other difficulties Foch advised Allied occupation

TURKS TRIED BY COURT MARTIAL.

LONDON, Feb. 9. Constantinople reported on Feb. 6. that a court-martial trial had begun of the first party accused of instigating Armenian massacres. The party includes Kemal Bey, the ex-governor of Boghazlay and Kewfik, ex-commander of the gendarmerie at Yozghad, and Fenaz Ali, an official at Yozghad. The public prosecutor emphasised the necessity of punishing the instigators of crimes which had horrified the whole of humanity. An Armenian lawyer gave evidence that the victims numbered 3,700, including women and children.

MISSION TO POLAND.

LONDON, Feb. 10. London, Feb. 9. delegates to Poland left last night.
At a mass meeting held in Glasgow The Allies attach the greatest imdesigns yet to become mistress of the

BRITISH TRADE.

LONDON, Feb. 9. A report shows increase in imports! of £35,522,282 and of exports have resumed with reduced services. £5,677,008 as compared with the

GERMANY.

TO HAVE PRESIDENT AND CABINET TO MORROW.

LONDON, Feb. 9. Copenhagen reports a message regarding the German empire's constitution" to-morrow. It will finish the three readings, on Feb. 11 so that the election of the President of Germany can be made on Feb. 12. ment shall exist on Feb. 12 when negotiations regarding the prolongation of the armistice can commence: seem to be that she is more or less bound

ARMISTICE TERMS MORE SEVERE. LONDON, Feb. 9. work. Only the ways and means of securing the execution of these conditions remain be settled, and it is

suffice for this. CLASS WAR

LONDON, Feb. 10. Cologne learned on February 7

thought the sitting on Feb. 10 will

HINDENBURG'S NEW ARMY. LONDON, Feb. 10.

Berne says that Herr Haase. before leaving the Socialist conference for Weimar, sald that Hindenburg was organising a volunteer army of 600,000 in Pomerania and East Prussia in view of a reactionary coup d'etat. His headquarters were at Tölberg on the Baltic coast, which was a stronghold of Prussian junkers Herr Haase advised the Powers to watch the movements of the Hindenburg army closely, and if necessary to insist upon limitation of its

SPARTACIST RISING,

LONDON, Feb. 10. A Paris message from Zurich reports a serious Spartacist outbreak

, Soldiers and sailors commanded by Eichhorn occupied an important thoroughfare. Government troops fired, killing 8 and wounding 40.

Strict censorship is being enforced. PARTY LINES OF NEW CABINET.

LONDON: Feb. 9. The "Vossische Zeitung" states that the new German cabinet will be composed of sixteen members, of which the Social Democrats are to have the President and the Ministries of Defence, Labour, Economy, Nutrition, and Demobilisation. The Democrats are to have the vice-president and the Ministries of the interior and Finance. The Centre are to have the Ministries of Justice, Treasury and Posts, while the Democrats and Social Democrats have each one minister without portfolio. The Foreign Ministry is to be neutralised.

BOLSHEVIK REVERSE.

LONDON, Feb. 9. Bale learns from Kovno that owing to successes of Lithuanian troops and the advance of Finno-Esthonian troops, the Bolsheviks have evacuated

THE SILVER MARKET.

SINGAPORE, Feb. 10. The silver market is quiet.

TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Router's Service to the China Mail.)

PORTUGAL.

LONDON, Feb. 10.

Lisbon reported yesterday that the Republicans had captured the towns of Lamego and Vizeu. The Royalist leader Faiva Couceiro was wounded

VISCOUNT GRRY AFFLICTED.

LONDON, Feb. 10. The "Daily Mail" says Viscount Grey has gone blind and is learning the Braille system of reading and

EARLIER "TELEGRAMS."

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THOSE PACIFIC COLONIES.

LONDON, February 8th. The Times' correspondent at Paris, discussing the future of the German Colonies, on January 27th, stated that, as regards the Pacific Islands, there are three view points before the Conference. The Australians do not view with satisfrom Berlin yesterday saying the faction the approach of Japan towards national assembly will discuss a bill their shores. They ask what advantage Japan is seeking in the possession of the Marshall Islands, and the Caroline Islands, where there is practically no Japanese population, but which are strategically important.

The American view-point is that the cabinet will be formed immediately Imperial Government should take over thereafter, so that a legal govern- the whole of the German Colonies in the Pacific and administer them under the League of Nations. The attitude of Great Britain would

by agreement to hand over the islands to London, February 8th.
That the rest of the German Colonies According to a Paris message yes- will become the direct possessions of the

M. Pichon, interviewed by Reuter terday, it appears the supreme war Dominions is a question which the Con-No great "trouble is anticipated in

CHINESE BREACH OF PROMISE.

A Chinese young girl, Miss Chang, was betrothed without her consent while still a child to a boy, the matter being arranged by the respec-'tive parents, and "bargain money" was duly paid by the parents of the boy to the parents of the girl. Now Miss Chang has grown up, has received a good education, and is imbued with Western ideals of the marriage "relation. She wants to

decide the matter for herself. The boy has also grown up, but he has not obtained any education. He has acquired a miscellaneous assortment of bad habits "instead which make him distasteful to his fiancee, who now refuses to marry him. The parents of the youth are angry, and threaten shit.

Mr. Wang Chung Hui, well known as a specialist in comparative law, and an official of the Law Codification Bureau, was consulted, and gave as his opinion that the parents of the boy might succeed in an action against the girl's parents. The court could not compel Miss Chang to go through the marriage ceremony, but might order her to do so. If she refused, the court might proceed to award as damages twice the amount of earnest money originally paid to the the girl's parents.

MEXICAN WIRELESS MANNED BY GERMANS.

More than 25 wireless stations in Mexico were under German control during the war, Edward Nally, vicepresident of the Marconi Wireless Company of America, told the House Merchant Marine Committee on Tuesday while testifying in opposition to the bill proposing government: monopoly of radio stations in the United States.

"The Germans were in full conthe wireless stations " in he said, telling of an investigation made last year of the Mexican wireless situation by an agent of his company.

"Although the Mexican Government claims title to all the wireless situations the apparatus is strictly German, and there have been German operators in every one of the stations. Moreover, there have sprung up government electrical shops with German superintendents, and the whole system has been supervised by German radio experts who were formerly employed at Sayville and Tuckerton and on the German liners which were interned in this country at the beginning of

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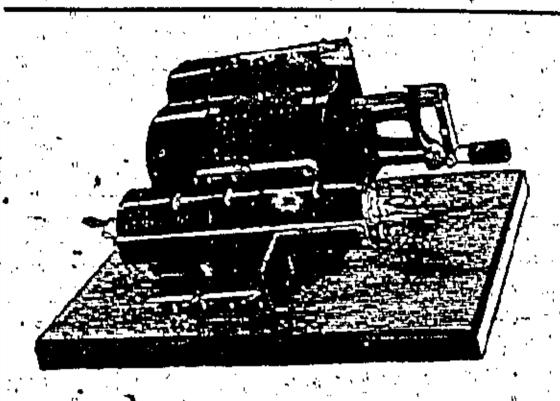
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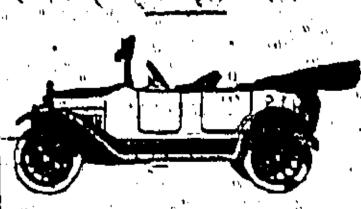
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BONES. The American Museum in New. fork has for some years past sent out expeditions, according to "The World's Work," for the collection of the fossil remains of Pleiocene-monsters. This is a line of research in which Professor Owen led the way

DILKE DEAD.

Onarles Wentworth Dilke, has died ing to Mr. Hayter made 42,602 at Brighton, aged 44. He was the guineas-an average of £532, 106, only son of Sir Charles Dilke, the Bd. A four-year-old stock buil sold tamous Radical statesman, by the for, 29,450, which beats all thre- latter's first marriage, and his mother cords. A cow made 2,000 gainens, died the day after giving him birth. another 1,700 guineus, two others when still quite a had the motherless 1,200 and 1,150 goiness, and two boy went abroad, and was little seen others 1,000 guineas, and a yearling sin England for a number of years. After his father's second marriage the young man took his B.A. at Cambridge, but; despite considerable mients," he continued his secluded style of living. When his father died An official announcement says that people had to hunt up the reference ladies and gentlemen who have been books to discover who was the heir Empire may, should they wish to do baronetcy brought no change in the so, wear the Insignia of the Order son's obscure life -the announcewith morning-dress on official occa- ment of his marriage" at Chichester sions and at public functions. Cathedral three years ago to a New South Wales lady was almost the only thing the world heard of him. The title now passes to his cousin, Lieut." Fisher Wentworth Dilke, Royal Berkshire Regt., son of the

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NOTICES.

HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE CO., LTD.

MINICE IS HEREBY" GIVEN IN that the ORDINARY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Hongkong Horer, Hong. kong, of SATURDAY, February 15, 1919, at 11.30 A.M. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending December 31,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th February to 18th February (both days inclusive), during, which period no Transfer of Shares can be Registered. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

Hangkong, January 29, 1819. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this arrival, Morperation will be held at the CITY All broken, Chafed, and damaged MALL, Hongkong on SATURDAY, the goods are to be left in the Godowns, 22nd day of February, 1919 at Noon, for where they will be examined on any the purpose of receiving the Report of Tuesdays & Fridays between the hours the Court of Directors. the Court of Directors together, with a of 10.45 a m-and noon within the free statement of Accounts for the year storage period. ending December 31, 1918.

Corporation will be CLOSED ... from MONDAY, February 10, to SAT-MRDAY, February 22, 1919, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors,

N. J. STABB, - Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 4, 1919.

TO CONSIGNRES

NANYO YUSEN KAISHA, LTD. NOTICEN TO CONSIGNEES.

MHE Steamship

FROM JAPAN.

"HOKUTO MARU,"

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong" AND Kowloom WHARP AND "GODOWN Co., LID., A. Kowloan, whence and/or from the

wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 31st inst., will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 20th inst. or they wil not be recognized.

All broken, chated, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the after February 22, 1919.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned

DODWELL& CO., LID. Agents.

Horgkong, Feb. 10, 1919.

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. "BENDONAN."

leaves) Side-Board, Dining Chairs, &c., CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby and a complete set of Table Glass U informed that all Goods are being " fluted". Wet and Dry Bulb, Thermo- landed at their risk into the hazardous motor, Antique Sheffield plate, Tea and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., wheree and/or

> No Claims will be admitted after the Goods remaining undelivered after the 16th instant, will be subject to rent.

> All claims against the Steamers must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 23rd inst. they will not be recognized. All troken, chafed and damaged

> Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 15th instant, at 'il a m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersign-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO,

Hengkong, Feb. 10, 1919.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES per Steamer "ATREUS"

are hereby notified that the Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kow-loon, where it will lie at Consignee's risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Godown on and after February 10. Optional cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given prior to steamers

arrivul. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays, between the hours of 10.45 s.m. and noon within the free storage

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all Goods "remaining undelivered, after the Feb. 17, will be subject

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before March 3, or they will not

No Fire Insurance will be effected ... BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

"Agents. Hongkong, Feb. 9, 1919

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD. CHINA MUTUAL STEAM

NAVIGATION CO., LTD. CONSIGNEES per Co's Steamer

SPYRRHUS,

are hereby notified that the Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharl, Kow-loon, where it will lie at Consignce's risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Godown on and after February 10. Optional cargo will be landed, unless IN the ORDINARY YEARLY MEET notice has been given prior to steamer's

No claims will be admitted, after the The REGISTER of SHARES of the Goods have left the steamer's Godown and all Goods, remaining undelivered after Feb. 17, will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before March 3, or they will not be

> No Fire Insurance will be effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, Feb. 9, 1919.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNERS

TOYO KISEN KAISHA. SAN FRANCISCO, via HONO-

LULU, JAPAN PORTS and

MANILA.

THE Steamship "TENYO MARU,"

having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature, and to take immediate delivery from alongside.

Cargo remaining undelivered Fobruary 11, 1919, at 5 P.M. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense, and delivery must then be taken from the Company's Godown.

Storage charges will be assessed on all cargo remaining undelivered February 15, 1919, at 5 p.m. No Fire Insurance whatever will be

effected.

No claim will be recognised after the goods have left the Steamer or Godown. All chafed and damaged cargo will be landed into Company's Godown, where they will be examined on February 17, 1919, at 10 a.m. No claim will be recognised if filed

> T. DAIGO, Manager.

Hongkong, Feb. 8, 1918. Apply to-PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

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THE above-mentioned vessel having arrived from the above-mentioned ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Cargo will be landed as their risk into the Hazardous and/or extra Hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, and stored at Consigness' risk. Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that they must produce an Import Permit signed by the Superintendent of Imports and Exports, Hongkoug, before Bills of

Lading can be countersigned. All broken, chaied and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on .. February 10,

.All claims must be presented within a menth of the steamer's arrival here, after which they cannot be recognized.

No Claim will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining undelivered after February 11, 1919, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance whatever will be

Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature immediately."

Pacific Mail S.S. Co. J. ORAM SHEPPARD, Acting Agent.

Hongkong, Feb. 5, 1919.

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> Shanghai Shanghai Gain Hongkong Hotel ShanghaiSoo Ching Beoukwauyuen 512 Shihtongtsay. T. KRING, Acting Superintendent.

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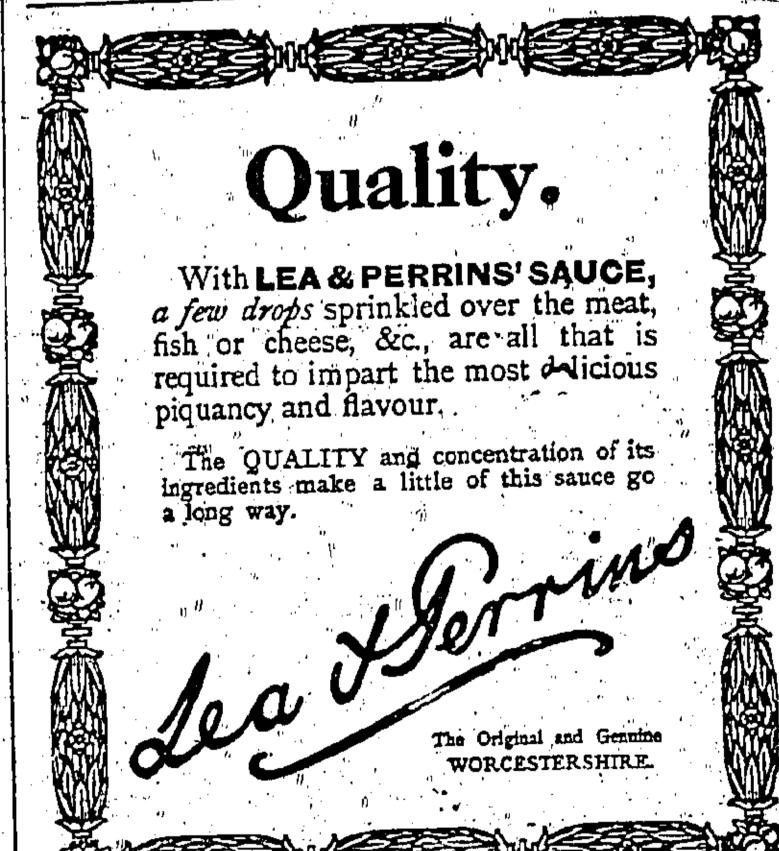
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BIRTHS.

BRISTOW, On February 4 Shanghai, to THENE, wife of H A H. Bristow, H.M. Corsul Hangehow, a son," JOHNSTONE .--- On February 4, at Bhanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. Joan Johnstons, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

MATTHEW HERBERT IVY nese Labour Corps), son of Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Liv. of Shang-

HADHAM-FANSEN. On January CAMPBELL BADHAM, son of Mrs. ISAREL JANSEN (nee Limby), of Shanghai.

The China Mail.

Florgrong, Tursday, Feb. 11, 1919.

THE PROLETARIAT.

It is a good job that a journalist does not have to take himself periously as Hamlet did, or with what feeling would be not say: The time is out of joint: O, cursed

That I was ever born to set it

desterday's large collection of cablegrams showed a state of things at Blome to dismay any lover of his our unhappy country from the hore country, and un official failure to rolls of other lands, but Mesers, Lloyd new industries in this part of the imcet the situation to disgust the George and Company must awake Readers, of the "China first. And creatures like Lord Claud Mail !! will have not ced that this Hamilton must be muzzled." paper foresaw what was coming, long Se ore the Reuter indications were mifficient to make it plain to the less well-informed. Bolshevisin in Briand Indeed, it will be found before very long that this head-line was evell-advised! . The Canlition Govern: pinent will be to blame for its refusal to intervene, and for its foolish Shreats of D.O.R.A. and the like. which in the face of a proletariat Prow we wide-awake and determined promise to be just about as effec-Stive as Mrs. Part miton's broom was. 130 sweep back, the Atlantic. Morty-hour week is a fairly well con-

crisis confronting the nation. Has ployers? Naturally not. been examined in that light by the tunkard or the tumbled " Government? Not at all. Has the Government even suggested any. alternative?' Not that we are aware of. We know of none. It has held aloof, thinking to let'the two opposed classes fight it out as they used to last year, it is said. do, while the political vote-wooers are not past times. These condi- to the poor. hai, to Environ Wells, of South | tions are worse even than the old ones. And this proletariat is to all 28, at Singapore, John Rupert intents and purposes born again, seeing with new eyes, and willing with a Ross of Calcutta, to MABEL stronger will, and (so far as we can judge from Reuter) moving with a greater solidarity of purpose.: In face of all this, consider that the Government may be willing to listen to Bourbon fools like Lord Claud Hamilton, in whose opinion the proleturiat has been debauched with public money, in whose opinion these munition workers and others! never risked their lives for their country " (as if railwaymen, miners, and factory hands were not running this risk every working day) and in whose opinion, finally, "the Government must take off the velvet glove which they have worn too long." And then? What does the man want? the four at Honolulu. To call out the troops to shoot down their own people? To fill the jails? To alienate the whole projetariat and knit it closer together? What madness! There is just time yet to save

charges itself with the duty of bringing about the total prohibition of alcoholic liquors all over the world. There will always be men desirous of converting the whole world, by persuasion or force, to their own opinions, and aren't they a nuisance? It seems impossible for them to grasp the shaple truth that in a wide diversty, of conditions there can be no universal rule, or that it is impos-

sible to formulate one moral law to su't all peoples in all places.

It has been a need of mankind, apparently, from the very earliest times, from the "spina" of Hindu ser planes, for instance, to take something" as a relief from the tedium or wo so of the struggle for existence, Whatever the need in those far-off days, there can little doubt of the confort of ar Loccasional stimulant in these.

pursuit of dollar-chasing craves for something beyond food and sleep. The harder or more wearisome the business, the greater the craving for this artificial exultation, which lifts the brain from the rack, and colours the outlook, if only tempognity, with rosier hues? "In this connection, it has sometimes occurred to us that the toil-worn or business-exhausted Chinese were not altogether happy in being deprived of the relief opium. Now that we are to'd the l'efforts of the re'ormers have resulted in the introduction of more insidious substitutes, we are less nervous about saying son. The desire is real and constant; debayed one gratification, man will always so after some other. 6.

In this confidention, a great deal of fuse is being mode about the death of an actress in Lyndon, by an overdesc of some drugs probably encaine. We are told that the drug habit is Ispreading there; that many people are making a good thing out of catering for it; and that the appetite has increased owing to the wardtime restrictions on the sale of stout, that "pick-me-up" so popular with the chorus girl " sisterhood. It is true that people leading such apparently Feb. 26. delightful fives as they do should not require stimulants; and it we belonged to the mosey frate nity of reformers that are always meddling with other people's pleasing- in the name for the Promulgition of Temperances Principles Belind the Scenes.

It is, however, of the drildges of the modern world that we are thinking most. Long hours, 'districteful lot of so many; and in the case of these we simply cannot find it beit been so considered by the em- coming to begrudge them such com-Has it fort and relief as they can find in the

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Canton firms did not do so badly

Canton has a citizen committee' sit on the fence. But these times arranging for the cheap sale of rice

> Kwangtung charges a reduced mining tax of \$2.50 per picul on wolfram, which is selling at \$32 per picul. Owing to the poor profits. the reduced tax will be maintained

> M. C. E. Bapst, the new French Ambassador to Japan is due to arrive at San Francisco in the middle of February. He plans to sail for Japan by the China Mail str. Nanking on her next outward voyage. M. Bapst was French Minister to China from 1905

> Tho "Billboard" of December 28 announces that a big party of American athletes was to leave San Francisco on the Shinyo Maru on January 22 for a tour of the Far East. The party includes wrestlers, boxers, etc. and will travel through lapan, China, Hongkong, Manila, Straits Settlements, Geylon, India and possibly Australasia, concluding

> The China Pencil Company Ltd., which installed a factory in Shanghai several months ago for the purpose of manufacturing lead pencils, has after a short trial experienced the same fate as has overtaken pioneers who have endeavoured to establish world, and has found that it cannot continue its business because it has not sufficient assets to liquidate its

> number of deaths in the port during last year is the record since opening of the port. The number of deaths registered was 8.843, increase of 1,322 as compared with the figures of the previous year. This increase was partly due to the in crease of population, but the authori ties said that the epidemic of influenza; which has been prevailing

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The dollar has dropped again. To-day's demand value is only 3s.

A thief on the "Kwong Tung stole a pair of shoes from a passenger and this morning was sent to prison for four weeks.

'An American wireless telegram A life spent mainly in the routine reports that "it is authoritatively stated that Lord Robert Cecil will not become British Ambassador to Washington. We should hope not.

> The natives of the Marsha Islands, formerly a German colony Japanese authorities declaring they are willing to be Japanese subjects.

Twenty-five gamblers were this morning fined \$2 each by Mr. J. R. Wood. They were given the option of going to prison for seven days. The Police got them in a raid on No. 19, Canton Road, Kowloon.

the last 48 hours was confined to far the rwork, they hursiedly left and two cases of cerebro-spinal fever. Last week's totals were: enteric 2, smallpox 1, and cerebro-spinal fever

We told you so. Mr. Chen Lu. 'the Chinese Acting Foreign Minister, announces that the newspaper reports of Mr. Obata's interview with him were "by no means accurate." The matter "might be considered as a past affair."

The Pacific Mail Steamship Co. "is in receipt of telegraphic advice from the Shanghai Agency that the S.S. Colombia left that Port on Feb. 10 for Manila, and will arrive here on or about Feb. 21. She will sail on

The Ministering League entertainment arranged to be held on Wednesday Feb. 19 at 5. p.m. bids fair to be as popular an event as it was last year. On Saturday night of morality, we would start a Society Feb. 22 the performance will be repeated with additional items by leading local amateurs, insuring a most attractive programme.

"At least 73,000 Danes have fought, side by side with England and her Allies, against the Germans," work, and a merely living wage with said Mr. W. Petersen, speaking at no prospect or hope of change, is the Liverpool Street, Hotel, London, re-America, where they enlisted.".

expressed in telegram—Young."

THE KO SHING POULTRY

Concession to the Dealers

In connection with the vexed question of the obstruction of Ko the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, C. S. P. informed his Worship that at abated. He could not but also by trucks, and against them.

ARMED ROBBERY.

THE GIBB, LIVINGSTON CASE.

Before Mr. R. E. Lindsell at th Ungistracy yesterday alternoon," the tearing was beginn of the case which a Chinese was charged with participating in the armed robbery on Messia, tlibb, Livingston's offices on January 11.

accused was not defended.

Inspector Terrett presecuted, the

Opening the case, Inspector Ter-

rett said that on the night of January

14, at about seven o'clock five or six

mon, armed with revolvers and dag-

gers, entered the Comprudore's office..

I'wo of them were posted at the door

of the office, and probably there were

rophers searched the "head-shoff and

taking some keys from his pocke

opened the safe. From this, and

from a drawer in his desk, they took over \$20,000 in coins and notes. The

shroffs had some jewellery on their

persons; which the robbers also took.

Whilst they were engaged in bind-

ing up the employees, the telephone bell rung, and being thus disturbed

got clean away. Immediately after

the robbery, the Police instituted a

close sourch of the out-going steam-

eis. The aid of the employees was

enlisted for the purpose of identifica-

tion. On the following night, one of

them was with the Police on the

the strenge deck he pointed out the

accused who was among a number

of passengers, as being one of the

n bhers. The accused was arrested

"identification" parade, he was more

or less identified by six of the shroffs.

No money was found on the accused

when he was arrested. He made

us he had not been warned with re-

gard to them, they could not be used

one of the lobbers in the safe, and

that on the evening in question he

was working in the office with nine

other shroffs, when a Chinese enter-

volver at him, said : "Keep quiet.

you. I am here to enrich inyself.

man then came into the room three

more robbers, who were variously

Two watchmen of the company were

the room by the robbers. The shiol's

lask was then broken open, and

one and two thousands was extract-

ed. The robbers next turned their

attention to the safe. They demand-

ed from witness the key, this request

a noise and cry out 'robbers.' " As

with which the tobbers bound wit-

ness and the others, and the bundle

of coins dropped by the robbets on

witness identified them unheritat-

Continuing, witness said that on

to the country by the stemmer, when it

The office boy, who identified

accused on the steamer, was the next

witness called. He recognized ne-

cused as being one of the tobbers,

for on that evening the accused stood

at the doorway and pointed his re-

volver at him. It was he who stole

from him a silver watch and a gold.

the 16th he came to the station and

ognized the accused.

robbers, among whom was accused .. 21st List

stood guard over them with loaded 22nd List.....

revolvers. After the money, the 23rd List

shroffs in turn received their share 24th List

sta rease of the officel.

and on the following day, at

Centon steamer "Kwangtung."

others who kept guard below.

have presented a petition to the

Communicable disease during

cently. "Thousands of Danes in this country, being refused for the Army, went out to Canada, Australia and Appearing in Mr. J. R. Wood's

Court this morning to defend a Chinese who was charged with being in possession of 195 taels of illicit pepared opium, and 25 taels of opium dross, Mr. Leo d'Almada applied for a remand. The Chinese was arrested at the Kowloon-Canton Railway Station, and the drug was found among his luggage. Case remanded.

In connection with the S. S. Centenary, the Officer Administering the Government, Hongkong, sent to the Governor at Singapore on Feb. 8 the following telegraphic despatch: On behalf of this Colony and of myself I desire to convey to Your Excellency congratulations on the centenary of the Straits Settlements and trust its prosperity will continue to increase.—Severn." To which the Straits Governor replied: "Colony and myself thank you for your telegram of congratulation and for wish

MARKET.

Shing Street by crates of poultry, appeared before Mr. R. E. Lindsell at the Magistracy this morning, and surprise visit made by himself and Mr. W. E. L. Shenton he found that the núisance had in some measure right through the street, but nevertheless the roadway was cleared and only the footpaths were blocked by a pile of crates, reaching in some places 20 feet high. In November last Messrs. Dennys and Bowley, on behalf of the sons of the shopat an identification parade, he reowners, wrote a letter to Mr. McL. case of a fire, this state of affairs would lead to the detriment of their interests. But since then, through the action of the Police, the obstruction had grown less. . A third of the piece of ground near the Sailorn Home had been offered to the poultry dealers, but as it proved insufficient. they pressed the Government for the since the autumn is also responsible. whole site. This site would be given at other people's expense but even then, they should have it. For the present if the dealers made further leucroachments upon the roadway. Tablets and the healthy condition of other summonness would be taken The case was again adjourned for arrested.

Witness was here corrected on his to-day.

WAR SAVINGS.

TWENTY-SIXTH LIST OF THE LOCAL ASSOCIATION.

During last month War Loan was purchased by Hongkong and South China War Savings Associations for its, members, amounting to \$225,724. 29 (Straits Currency).

The amounts paid in particulars of which are set out below, were invested in Straits Settlements War Loan at 51%.

Although the issue of this Loan is now:closed in the Straits Settlements this Association has made arrangements to continue to invest in this Loan all the moneys received. The membership of the Association has reached 1,225.

Full particulars and application forms may be obtained from

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6 Subscriptions of as evidence. A revolver was left by I Subscription of a bundle containing \$100 in coins 9 Subscriptions of was picked up by the Police on the 1 Subscription of To Chow Hing, head shroff of Messis, Gibb, Livingston, deposed

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If you do so, I will do no laum to 1 Subscription of (Laughter.) On the heels of this armed, with daggers and revolvers. 3 Subscriptions of at the time keeping guard outside! the office. They were oragged into 32. were all bundled into a corner of the

room and the robbers then proceeded | 2 to rifle the place. The man who 23 came in first picked up the loose 45 money that was lying on the counter 18 This amounted to several thousands of dollars. The drawer of witness's 17 money to the amount of between 2nd List 3rd List 4th List 5th List 6th List 7th List 8th List

eing accompanied by a stab on the shoulder with a dagger, which, however, only penatrated the clothing, and inflicted no wound. Searching im, they took from his pocket a 9th List bunch of keys. With one of these, 10th List they opened the safe and stole from 11th List it a further 15 or 16 thousand dollars. 12th List During the looting, witness saw them 13th List go to the door repeatedly, with the 14th List money stolen, and from this he con- 15th List cluded that the robbers were hand- 16th List ing, over the money to some con- 17th List federates outside. During the rob- 18th List bery, the shroffs were gathered 19th List together in a bunch, and two of the 20th List

of the attention of the robbers. They 25th List were tied up, and the robbers left! them with this injunction: "Do you Total amount received to people keep quiet. Don't you make .__ date\$ 2,326.145 Total amount of Straits Currency

soon as they d'sappeared, the shroffs went to the verandah and raised the received since last investment. ularm. Witness, after having being untied, went to the safe, and found Previously acknowledged 507,018.73 revolver which resembled the one produced in Court. Some strings

Total amount of Sterling received the stairs, were also produced and since last investment.

Previously acknowledg-Asked if he had anything to say, Total amount of Gold Dollars accused stated that he was returning received since last investment.

he was arrested, for what reason he. Previously acknowledged

Union Insurance Society OF CANTON, LTD. Hon. Treasurers and Secretaries. Lord Holland. When Pitt died the Hongkong, 11th February, 1919.

ring set with black stones, and some error with regard to the name of the money. "On the evening following steamer. He stated he was not certhe robbery, he was with the Police tain about the name of the steamer. on the "Kwongsai" when he re- He was told by the Police that cognized accused who was in a locker; was the "Kwongsai," and he did not on the steerage deck, and had him take the trouble to find out. The hearing was adjourned until

HONGKONG RACES.

TRAINING NOTES.

The following are the times taken at this morning's gallops. The gallops were on the sand course.

Subscription Griffins. Bannock. Mr. Horsford, Three quarters of a mile. 42.3; 1.18.2; 1.52.2. Swallow, Messra Gay Birds. Three quarters of a mile, last half mile.

Dalesman, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin. Three quarters of a mile, 1.11; 1.44.3. Castello Branco, Messra D'Almada

mile. 35; 1.82; 1.45. Rheostat, Mr. St. George, Three quarters of a mile, last half mile.

and Rocha. Three quarters of a

Leach Sand, Mr. F. W. Sutterle. Three quarters of mile, last half mile. 38-3; 1.14. Stiggins, Mr. Dryasdust. One and a quarter miles, last three quarters.

37.3; 1.13; 1.48.1. Torbay, Mr. F. S. Gibbings. One and a quarter miles, last three quarters, 37.3; 1.13; 1.51.

White Fang, Mr. Adams., Three quarters of a mile. 42.3; 1.18.2; 1.52.2. Cassuis, Mr. Adams, Three quarters of a mile. 37,4; 1.11,2;

Smokebox, Mr. Goahead. Three quarters of mile, last half mile. 32.2; 1.5. Victory Star, Mr. B. Basto, Five

furiongs, last half. 31.1; 1,8. OLD PONIES. Upwood Park. Mr. Robt Macgre

gor. One mile and a quarter. 2.54. Last mile, 2.19, Last quarter, 32.1

CHAMPION OF LIBERTY.

LECTURE IT HELENA MAY INSTITUTE

Mr. G. P. de Martin, M. A. of Queen's College, delivered an interest-155 ing lecture at the Helena May 150 Institute last evening. 130 attendance was not so large as it 125 deserved. Those present included: 120 Commodore V. G. Gurner, Hon. Mr. 115 H. E. Pollock, K.C., Mr. J. H. Kemp, 100 K.C., Mr. J. R. Wood, Mr. A. Dyer 90 Ball and Professor A. G. Warren.

Sir William Rees Davies, Chief 75 Justice, who presided, said the lecture 70 was to be on one of the most 65 versatile characters in modern 60 history. Charles James Fox who 55 became one of the most distinguished 50 Ministers of the Crown was a member. 45 of the House of Commons at nine-40 teen; at twenty-one he became as 35 Minister. He was the most inveter-30 ate gambler London had ever seen! 25 He lost a fortune at it, but subse-20 quently regained his position in the 15 House of Commons and in the eyes 10 of the world he died a popular hero-5 Mr. de Martin was, he was sure, 124,035 fully conversant with the life of Fox. 39,100 but it was to be hoped he had not 10,280 fallen a victim to all his vices. 62,075 (Laughter.)

Mr. de Martin was a worthy exponent of the life of Fox, showing him as one fighting for liberty 61,880 against the autocracy of his day. 68,335 He began with a reference to the 110,595 Fox family, the first member of which 140,345 had been a Royalist during the Civil 49,715 War and was a faithful Jacobite to his death. Henry Fox, the father of 80.875 the statesman had married the eldest 43,680 daughter of the 2nd. Duke of Rich-84,355 mond. Therefore Charles James was 72,390 decended from Charles II through 64,965 the Duchess of Portsmouth.

The lecturer showed the corrupt-

90,430 ness of public life, the political

147,450 principles of most members of the 159,020 House of Commons in those days 91,535 being "Every man for himself and 96.100 the Exchequer for all." There were 50.460 a few exceptions to this, Lord Rock-106,890 ingham and those associated with him, and as they opposed bribery in every form King George III was always against them. Fox's early training had scarcely fitted him to have much sympathy with Rockingham! How-. ever, when he had been in Parliament about six years he joined the party which was striving for political purity and from then to the day of his death Charles James Fox became Total \$601,800.45 the champion of English liberty and an uncompromising menery of autocracy. Fox opposed the King's American policy and rejoiced at the French Revolution. Though he not agree with all that the revolutionaries did yet he regarded their efforts as "a great crisis for the cause of liberty, what-Total.....£14,442:12:10½ ever we may think of the particular people who are to fight the present battle." Fox's views of the French Revolution differed from the majority of the governing class in and out of Parliament. As a result he lost support, his position in Parliament 7.106.94 became hopeless and a period of reactionary legislation set in. Fox retired. to a quiet country life at St. Ann's Hill!

> King had to make Fox Secretary of State, as without him an Administration could not be formed. The lecturer showed Fox as an orator, placing him among those who have been gifted with a talent for public speaking. At the conclusion

with his wife and was happy in the

friendship with his nephew, the third

of the lecture a hearty vote of thanks to the lecturer was carried unan-

COMPANY MEETING.

HONGKONG CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO.,

The 99th Ordinary Annual Meeting of the above Company was held in the Offices of the Company, Hotel Mansions, at noon to-day. Mr. S. H. Dodwell, presided and there were and Mr. H. W. Looker (direc-(secretary), A. Denison, A. R. Lowe, P. C. Potts, M. S. Northcote, A. E. Griffin, P. Tester, C. B. Buyers, A. E. Crapnell, E. Abraham, D. Macdonald. Chan Lin Ki and J. Arnold.

After the minutes of the previous meeting had been confirmed the Chairman said:

Gentlemen. You will, I have no doubt, agree read, for they have been in your shows such a poor result for the year's working. Although freights have been increased, wherever earnings of the steamers have nearly equalled those of the best year in the Company's history, the heavily increased running expenses have contributed towards the poor retresults. The most adverse influence"on our figures has been the prohibitive Company has had to pay som pre-war cost of this article, some 200 per cent, increase in the price of all stores and about 50-100 per cent. higher charges for repairs, docking and marine insurance. It had been only by careful management and effecting economies in every department that the report presented is not -more, adverse, but I am glad to say that the price of our Bunker Cont has already declined somewhat, and mow that the war is to all intents and purposes over, I think we may safely look forward to our running expenses gradually assuming more reasonable proportions! Since our last Annual Meeting your Directors

have succeeded in their negotia-The book, profit for this sale am- practically the cause, the running to the others "Chan Ka Chung ounting to \$80,750.99 has been expenses us the Chairman has expenses and there is placed to the credit of Profit and, plained went up to a very high figure, no possibility of taking anyone Loss Account. Turning to the in the circumstances I think we have for ransom. Burn the house down." Balance Sheet you will notice the reason to feel thankful that we pulled The order, said witness, was Insurance and Underwriting A c. through, a very adverse year on the promptly carried out by the others has been augmented by the sum liver trade, so successfully. The who set fire to the house, destroying Company's share of marine insurance passenger and freight space must be furniture and other effects... They risk carried during the period under left entirely in the hands of the went on looting until 10, o'clock, review. You will also note with management to work out. We hope going from house to house destroying pleasure that during 1918 the Invest- it will prove successful and assist to property and by the time they left ment Fluctuation Fund has shewn bring about better results this year, the village, they had captured as an increase of \$123,724.30 due to We are glad to hear that the office many as 120 inhabitants of the the rise in values of local securities staff have been remembered, the 10 village whom they took with them held by the Company. Taking ad- per cent, bonus, on their salaries for ransom. All the portable vantage of the favourable exchange | which you propose, s.r. has been well articles of value were carted off your Directors deemed it not only earned. While we all feel a pang into the next village where the prudent, but also a patriotic step of regret at parting with Captain sacked the houses and set fire every. DESCRIPTION: to invest more of the surplus funds Clarke as our Secretary, we are where they went. The pillage was also of the Company in Sterling War pleased to learn that he is being carried out in several of the neigh- by 24 stroke. subject to your approval, transferr, sure that his long experience and ultimately retired. The witness's ing the sum of \$5,000 from the extensive knowledge of the river house was damaged to the extent of Equalization Fund to Profit and Loss trade will enable hom to be of \$6,000. He thought the outlaws Account, leaving a balance of great and valued service to the \$70,000 at credit of the Fund. Board. If in order, sir, I would My predecessor in the chair suggest that a small souvenir, in at the last Annual Meeting the form of a silver plate, be prementioned that steps were being sented to Captain W. E. Clarke on taken with the owners of native which the Directors could record owned vessels operating on the their appreciation of his long and Hongkong-Canton Line and the Rail- faithful service of 42 years with the way Administration to increase past Company. The appointment of Mr. senger fares. An understanding John Arnold as Acting Secretary reand since that date increased rates to his father, Mr. Thomas Arnold, was decided to give a trial on the Canton prove a successful Secretary to the stage. run to the system of farming out Company. (Applause.)

space and as conditions are seconded by Mr. C. B. Buyers and was felt that carried unanimously. the experiment should be made. The Hon. Mr. D. Landale and Mr. . In conjunction with the China H."W. Looker were re-elected direc-Navigation Co., with whom we work | tors of the Company, on the proposal on joint account on the Canton Line, of Mr. A. E. Griffin, seconded by an agreement was entered into with Mr. A. Denison. a Chinese syndicate for a short Messrs. C. Bernard Brown and A. period, which terminated at the end R. Lowe were elected and tors for the of January. The arrangement has so ensuing year, on the proposal of Mr. far worked satisfactorily; in fact, on P. C. Potts, seconded by Mr. M. S. the results attained, the Board have Northcote. decided to enter into a renewal of the agreement for a longer period on that this concluded the business of terms which I confidently hope will the meeting, Capt. Clarke said:prove mutually beneficial to the Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,-Company and to the Chinese Before dispersing, I would like to syndicate with whom we are working. thank you for your signal mark of I would point out that the arrangement honour of all the good things you aims at assuring to the Company have said of my services coupled with a larger share of and more steady the offer of a seat on the Directorate income from the Chinese passenger of the Company, upon my retireand cargo trade without relinquish ment from Secretaryship, which ing in any way the" management of shall take pleasure in accepting as our vessels, and if, when difficulties I shall always be glad to herve and arise, a reasonable and fair render any assistance in the interests attitude is adopted by both of the Company where I have spent signatories to the ageement, so many years of my life. It is been docked for general overhaul continue to merit your appreciation Following the example of in the future. On behalf of the In the McGill University Magazine of other local companies, Gentle Office Staff and myself, I-thank you men, your Board does not wish for the bonus granted,

ilthough vircumstances have precluded us from showing as good result as we could have wished. the office staff have worked well and done their utmost in the interests of the Company and it will, I hope, be in accordance with Board have accepted with regret, October of last year. honourably and faithfully filled for the prisoner was undefended. .

has been 42 years in the service of prisoner who was arrested in a local met him seven years ago, he feels that who invaded the Hoi Ping district. tion in Japan. retirement has indeed been well held them for ransom. The villages story of the secret mobilisation of earned. In 1906 Captain Clarke destroyed by the outlaws included the British Army on August 3rd. to the Offices of the Company for to my following the usual course of and soon afterwards, received and the Pak Shing Lee, speaking at a lecture by Major R.M. and the Pak Shing Lee villages in Johnstone, Professor of History of the Shenner Tuber Many Kong and Tuber Wood and the Substantive appointment, since the Shenner Tuber Many Kong and Tuber Wood an hands some time. Your Directors perity and adversity, the interests witnesses would be called from these we mobilised. I will tell you. There regret that the present report again of the Company have always been places. The loss sustained in dec.

report and accounts call for no fur- house. Witness ran out of the house ther comment from me, and I now by the street door and escaped formally beg to propose that they and he, together with his wife and

with all parties was arrived at in July minds a few of us of the time when the mutual benefit of all concerned, given the same appointment and if have been in operation. During the he had inherited only a portion of latter part of the year your Directors his father's tact and ability he should

native passenger and freight space. The confirmation of the appoint-This system has been in operation ment of the Hon. Mr. D. Landale with success on the Yangtsze for as a director of the Company was some time in regard to passenger proposed by Mr. J. Arnold and

After the Chairman had announced I see no reason why the experiment pleasure to me to know and have should not prove a success. During your assurances that my services in the year the usual Government the past have met with your ape survey has been held on all the Com- proval. I , thank you for your conpany's vessels and the same have all fidence and sincerely hope I shull

that the work of the Office staff The meeting terminated with the should be forgotten. The Company's announcement that Dividend War-Itaff is one of the smallest of any rants are now ready and muy be had imited Company in the Colony and on application.

EXTRADITION CASE.

Directors are satisfied EXTRADRDINARY STORY OF ARMED ROBBERS.

your wishes that your Directors have Magistracy xesterday. Lasternoon, that date permits to leave the colony voted them a bonus of 10 per cent. application was made by the Canton will be issued from the new office. on their salaries. It is with reluct: Authorities for the extradition of ance I have to inform you that a Chinese named Chow Tak who is Captain Clarke, our Secretary, has alleged to have been concerned in

he is now entitled to spend his burning housest and stealing cattle, remaining years in retirement, and money, clothing and jewellery. They your Directors feel that this also kidnapped over 100 persons and took over the Acting Secretaryship Chung Hing Lee. Tung Shing Lee, Speaking at a lecture by Major R.M. Warranta when, through times of pros. Hoi Ping district. Counsel said that "I do not think people know when his foremost consideration. As he is troyed property and stolen valuables We mobilised at 11 o'clock on

Directors to invite him to a seat and managing partner of a shop tionary Force were, with the aid of on the Board, and I feel sure that dealing in cotton in Wing Lock our splendid Navy, right across the this proposal will meet with your Street, Hongkong, said he went to the Channel. The concentration was hearty approval. The vacancy country on October 2 and stayed made in nine days." created by Captain Clarke's retire there for some days. At about 6 a.m. ment will be filled for the present by on October 8, he was awakened by the appointment of Mr. John Arnold the noise of robbers breaking down as Acting Secretary. I think that the the gate in the fence surrounding his

be adopted and passed as circulated. child, took refuge in a bamboo Mr. D. Macdonald, in seconding grove on the hill behind the the adoption of the report and village. From his hiding place, he account for the year under review, could command a good view of what took places in the village. Witness Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen saw the outlaws pull down the gate have much pleasure in seconding of the feate of his house and then the adoption of the report and ac- he saw the prisoner lead a gang of robcounts. After the very clear ext, bers inside. Witness heard the prisonplanation of the year's working given ersay "this is Chau Ka Chung's house". by the Chairman there is little left He (prisoner) had a rifle on his for me to add. The abnormal high shoulder and stood at"the gate whilst areights ruling on the coast trade did his followers ransacked the house not affect the river traffic to anything and carried away \$1,100 worth of I he the same extent so while; the clothing, jewellery and money. The earnings of the steamers' remained witness heard the prisoner say

\$20,625.00 representing the new system of farming out native the whole building together with the Your Directors propose, elevated to the Directorate and feel bouring villages before the outlaws

Many shots were fired and about 16 houses were burned down. The witness went to Shek Hom on Oct. 10, on business and returned to Hongkong on the following day. "The prisoner" belonged to the neighbouring village Tung Shing Lee and witness had known him from boyhood. Witness received news from the

country on "Jan. 16 that the prisoner a.m. on date of sale. had escaped to Hongkong and identi-Terms :-- Cash." fied him at an identification parade at Victoria Goal on Sunday. The case was adjourned at this

BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIP.

The match between R. W. Bearne

v. J. G. P. Foulds was won by Mr. R. W. Bearne with a wide margin of 144 points. There were breaks of 18, 20 and 26, the highest of which was scored

by Bearne. The winner played a consistent

R. W. Bearne 400 points. I. G.P. Foulds 256 points. The following match is to be played to-night: S. M. Tatton, D.C.M., R.G.A. v. Pokie P. Wong.

It is reported that as the port of Antwerp is now open, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha purpose despatching their steamers thither should sufficient inducement be offered.

A Berlin telegram to Tokyo says that newspapers announce that an American firm is about to buy the Schichau shipbuilding plant, one of the largest in Germany, for G.

Mr. John Stuart Thomson, who used to be manager here for the Pacific Mail and Toyo Kisen Kaisha, is making a name as a "literary gent" Montreal he, has just had a sonnet which says Australia ought to keep Papua. He also had a war ode in the "Windsor Magazine." His book, "China Revolutionized," has been exceedingly well reviewed.

LOCAL UND GENERAL

The Pass Office at the Central Police Station will be moved to the top floor of the General Post office Before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Building on the 16th inst. on and after

In addition to the contingent of tendered his resignation, which the a robbery in the Hoi Ping District in French military aviators now in HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO Japan, says the "Nichi Nichi," some and at the end of the month he Mr. Longinotto, Assistant Crown 30 French workmen to be employed relinquishes a post that he has Solicitor, was for the Crown whilst in manufacturing aeroplanes will arrive in Yokohama on or about 13 years. Altogether Captain Clarke Mr. Longinotto said that the February 15, via San Francisco. These workmen have been despatchthe Company, and although to me to- Chinese boarding house, was alleged ed by the French Government with day, he looks as young as when I first to be one of the leaders of the bandits a view to helping in developing avia

Lord Haldane recently told the 1919. remaining in the Colony, in recognitis estimated roughly at over \$10,000. Monday, August 3rd. 36 hours before tion of his long service, and in order | Evidence was then called, and we declared war. We were then all to still retain the benefit of his ex | Chan Ka Chung a native of ready, and then a few hours after we perience, it is the intention of your the Chung Hing Lee village declared war the British Expedi-

> TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction. (For Account of the Concerned).

SATURDAY, February 15, 1919, at 10.30 a.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Yosux Road, Corner of

Ice House Streek. Several lengths Blue serge GOOD QUALITY to be sold without reserve.

A consignment of gent's straw hats, Terms :- Cash HUCHES & HOUGH.

Auctionages. Hongkong, Feb. 11, 199.

WEDNESDAY. February 19, 1919, at 11 a.m. at Kwong Tuck Cheong's shipyard, To-Kwa-Wan,

One complete set Engines and Set of Compound Engines, 16 x 33,

Boiler, 12 x 10 c, working pressure 120 lbs. on Veritas survey. To be sold in one lot, together with Engine Seat, Shafts and Propeller and all piping, Ac., connected with the above mentioned Engines and Boiler.

Anchors and Chains, Wooden Masts, 2 Navigating Compasses.

On view at Kwong Tung Cheong's Launch to convey intending purchasers will leave Blake Pier at 10.30

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers. Fongkong, Feb. 11, 1919."

TO-DAY'S. ADVERTISEMENTS.

PALACE HOTEL.

N after dinner DANCE will abe A held on WEDNESDAY, February 12 commencing at 9 P.M. Hengkong, Feb. 11, 1919.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of \$1.00 per Share, L declared at the Ordinary Meeting of Shareholders, held THIS DAY, will 66 PAYABLE at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Coperation, on and efter TUESDAY, the 11th February,

Shareholders are requested to apply

By Order of the Board of Directors, W. E. CLARKE, Secretary. Hengkeng, February 11, 1919.

PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

THE Undersigned has reveived ins-Lo truitions to sell by Public Anc-

FRIDAY, February 14, 1919. "commencing at 11 n.m. it the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., (Kowloon)

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Auctioneer. Houghong, February 11, 1919.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from Mr. J. J. BRYAN to sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY, February 18, 1919, commencing at 11 a.m. at No. 4 Queen's Road Central, first floor.

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Chesterfield sofa and armchairs, easy chairs, tea & occasional tables, teak chifoniers, bookense, hatstand, extension dining table and chairs, glass, & ernekery ware, vases, ornaments,

Tenk twin bedsteads, single and double wardrobes with mirrors, toilet tables, washstands,

Blackwood joss table, jardiniere stands and stools.

1 Enamelled bath and geyser, Iron safe by Phillips, Sundry pots of Maiden hair and asparagus ferns and Sumatra palms. On view from Monday, the 17th inst. Catalogues will be issued.

Terms :- Cash on delivery, GEO P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer Hongkong, February 11, 1919.

AN AIRSHIPS RECORD.

The American airship C. No. 1 has, sovered a distance of 1,002 miles between New York Station and Key West, Florida, in twenty-nine hours. The airship with a crew of seven covered 48 miles an Lour and attained to a height of 25,000ft.

TO-DAY'S NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

CORONET

IT IS OUR POLICY to take the public into our confidence as to what we are doing-and why !..

At this moment of writing there are no new pictures in Hongkong of the standard that we have set ourselves. to live up to; o we have chosen rather

to put on a film of very high merit that was shown here. during the spotted fever outbreak, and therefore, probably, not seen by many of our patrons, than to lower our standard by screening inferior pictures.

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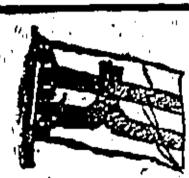
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The Japan Shipowners' Association held a meeting of Directors at Kobe, on January 17 to discuss severalquestions relating to shipping. Among these were the proposed extension of the "near-sea" limits. which are at present limited to Hongkong in the south and to Kamchatka in the north. A proposal toextend these limits has been pending during the last five years, and last year the Shipowners Association memorialised the Government urging the necessity of extending the limits so as to include the waters round the Straits Settlements and Java. This memorial was rejected. When the Ministry changed the Shipowners' Association again ; addressed a memorial to the authorities on the subject. It is understood that the present Government is not entirely opposed to the proposal, but is desirous of making full investigations before taking any definite action in the matter. At the latest meeting the shipowners agreed to resume the discussion of the question with the authorities. Another matter of importance considered by the meeting was the value of tonnage as forming the basis for calculating the business tax. In the shipping business tax should be imposed on the average value of tonnage during the previous year-The shipowners contend that in view of the great decline that has occurred in the price of tonnage since the armistice, it would be a great injustice if the tax was based on the value of vessels last year. They agreed to memorialise the authorities asking

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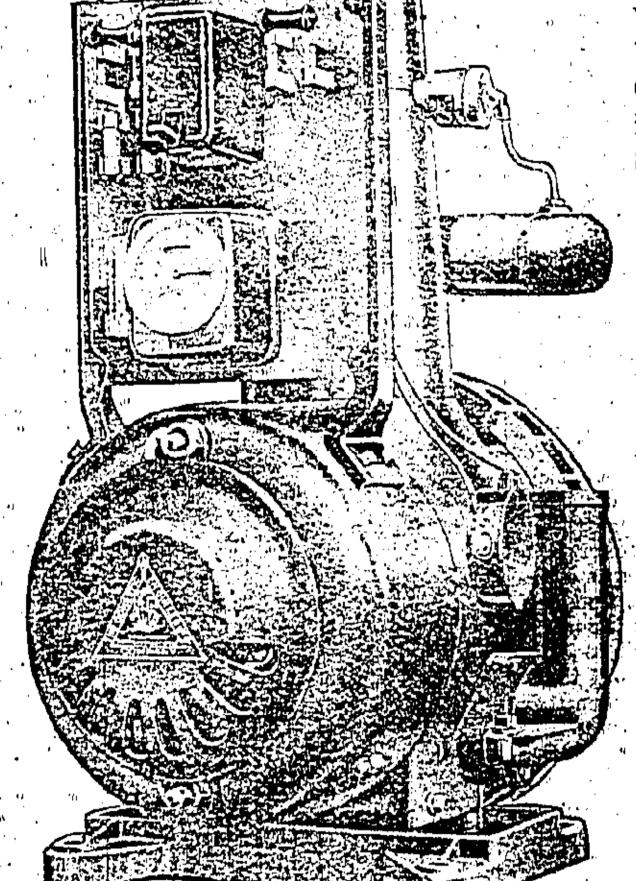
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OPEN LETTER TO CHINESE.

A Japanese circulates the following

letter for Chinese:-Brothers,-Your country, abound, distress. ing in infinite natural resources coupled with your limitless manpower, is like a young and extremely comely damsel, without a protection and without a strong will. Your weakness and backwardness give a you under their influence and China a fortnight." is sure to become the theatre of an | ... international struggle soon after the conclusion of the peace. Each of ful. the various foreign nations pretends | happy. You know your way?" to be friendly to you and offers you your market. This is most critical lumber-room. time in your history and you are very friendship made to you by each of obviously in complete content. the nations interested in you. Many just to remember how much of your his name, turned and faced me. territory you have lost during the a last 75 years or so. Burma, Nepaul, pre-war highness of spirit.

the Chinese situation and ask you to wrong with it-" consider them fully.

to lose her extensive possessions,

a few years:

democracy and militarism. Great Then came a couple of guns which as a member of the British Govern-European nations, and it was to be from time to time. decided which of the great nations was to be the greatest world-Power. golf-bag. No doubt Great Britain was quite said to his credit, did his level best to avoid the terrible war. But Gersuperiority, forced the war on the fever again myself! that France might be crushed.

There was no talk about world democracy at that time. There are and breathing a little more quickly time, Asiatics will do well to cultimany statesmen in America who than before, we smiled at each other. Vate modesty and unity among thempredicted that America would have "to join the war so that " the balance] of power in the world may be preserved." But the horrors of the war opened the eyes of the world and now there is a cry for internationalism and world-democracy. I don't know whether this principle will be applied to China or other Asiatic nations. In fact Mr. Wilson has mentioned the Czecho-Slovaks, the Belgians and other smaller nationalities of Europe. but he has made no mention of Asiatic nations. Why? We don't know. The League of Nations is yet

Judging from the recent writings of Mr. H. G. Wells, in the League of Nations, China and Japan will occupy a secondary position, and Mr. Wells says that these nations should have little voice in the League (vide "In the Fourth Year"). leave "it to you to draw your own conclusions from this. 10

... America particularly poses to China's friend. Her propaganda in China is most active. "In schools, in the Press and on the platform in China we find American propaganda. 'If the world democracy be realized through Americans, why are they so particular in minimizing the position of Japan in China "and why are they so indifferent to the welfare of the Japanese, the Annamites and the Afghans? They accuse Japan of being imperialistic, but history that Japan has annexed one-tenth of what. America has annexed during the last 50 years. Why should not the friends of China be friends of Japan also?

If China were to say that Japan has been aggressive towards them and that her foreign policy has not been frank, I would reply that all the Japanese diplomacy, I would quote between Japan and China can be business life, and since they are the following from a speech of Mr. E. utilized in cementing international owned by private capital, their service, Root. I ask the Chinese to consider friendship. impartially the following utterance of the responsible American states France and England have reunited, man and compare it with what ap- England and America have shaken

For many years I was very much more in common between familiar with our own Department of China and Japan than between any Foreign Affairs, and for some years two other nations. The peace of I was specially concerned in its Orient, peace of the world demands operation. . . . I say that during all that China should understand Japan that period there never was a mo- better and the spiritual union of the ment when the Government of Japan two great Asiatic nations will perwas not frank, sincere, friendly, and petuate the world peace. most solicitious not to enlarge, but to minimize and do away with all causes of controversy.

FROM WAR TO SPORT.

I wonder how many of you since Armistice Day have done what, with my assistance, my friend Stewart did the other evening.

When I called at his house his wife greeted me in something of pretty

If you wish to see him, I'm afraid that you'll need to go upstairs,' she said: "right up to the lumber room. I don't believe that he'd come down to-night, even for you. deserted me already, you see, chance to foreign nations to drag he's been back from France for only

What's the matter?" I asked. She laughed. ""Oh, nothing dread-You'll find him absolutely

Nodding, I thanked her, and tempting baits to exploit, your coun- couple of minutes or so later stood try or to force its extra products on looking into the big, lamp-lighted

Stewart, quite unaware of my likely to be misled unless you exercise | presence, was standing with his back | great care and weigh fully the various to me, a litter of sporting gear about statements and tempting pretension to him. He was whistling and was

As I watched he took the parts of are the political mistakes made by a light fly-rod from their case, you in the past, and it is time for examined them with loving care, and you to wake up to the true situation presently swished the topmost part of your country and adopt the most lightly as though in fancy sending

but it took full 300 years for Turkey | end.

while China has lost so much in only out.

"I want to try a swing." He did, and when he had finished

in golf.

you believe it's true, that we can go are qualified a Lloyd George will yon summer you spent with me in and to free mankind from "dragons" and the burns? And you month at Cruden Bay, when for the first and last time in your life you beat me in a thirty-six-hole match? Oh, the memories of sport!

He glanced at the rods and the clubs and the guns, then again at me. "It's been a rattling, fine evening I've spent here," he said "And now come down and have a drink. want to talk to you about next year. I've got all the guide-books and the maps looked out."

As the world conditions are change ing, it is most essential for China to public utility company is opposed to trust her neighbour and accept her all modern ideas of social economy. co-operation. I do not mean that It does not appear to me that China should be Japanized, but when your first correspondent asked for internationalism is to be practised, more than Government control and why should not China and Japan in this connection I cannot do better work together for the peace and pros. than quote William H. Walker, LL.D. perity of the Far East?

so stupid as to keep a dissatisfied "Under monopoly conditions com-China at their door. But they have petitive prices do not exist and to curb the tongue and regulate the charges are based upon what the zeal of the irresponsible young men controlling company is able or whose utterances sometimes cause a permitted by Government, to misunderstanding.

true civilization, based on the spirit. the public interest. tual doctrines of the Buddha and In this connection, it should be

This is the era of reconciliation. pears in the Press here about Japan: hands with each other. There is

AN ASIATIC DEMOCRAT.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL".

Sir,-Beforring to the correspondence which appears this evening in over the N. China Sea. the "Mail," will you permit me to point out to Chinese gentlemen who wish to secure social justice that the way to proceed is not by reliance on the generosity of opponents, but by doing what others with a grievance have done under similar circurnstances? Thirty-six years ago ago a brother of the M.P. for West Birmingham, then a rising star of the Radicals and afterwards so "famous as a statesman and so in-"dispensable to his political opponents, was blackballed at a well-known Whig Club in London. He and his friends started a rival club which is now the headquarters of the Liberal

In India, orthodox Hindus care as little to mix socially with Europeans as some among the latter wish to associate with the former, but British teaching and example have brought into existence a growing class in both communities who appreciate intercourse and club life. This class appropriate measures for your safety out a cast. "Half a dozen times he did not ask to be admitted into the and well-being. I would ask you did this, and then, hearing me speak established foreign clubs and seek to be blackballed, but started a club "Come in!" he said, with all his of their own which possesses one of "Sit the handsomest of club buildings Hongkong, Korea, Indo-Chinese pro- down on that box there and light and of which the Vicerov is Patron vinces, etc., all belonged to China your pipe and watch me. Man, and he and the Governor of the only 75 years ago. Tibet is practi- I'm having a night of nights! I'm Province are frequent guests, and cally independent of China, who has handling the old favourites again which even the conceited foreigner little influence in Manchuria and and getting'em ready for use. It's is anxious to join. Chinese gentleeven in Mongolia her position is not four years and more since I so much men should by personal effort and strong. We have read in history of as saw'em. I always knew that I'd devotion to the State qualify themthe shrinking of the Ottoman Empire, have to wait for the bally thing to selves for recognition; but can scarcely expect justice from rivals between "Peace isn't signed yet," I pointed whom and themselves there is not. as in litigation, a judicial authority "Pooh!" He snapped a finger and to settle disputes. While prominent I am neither hostile nor over thumb. "If you're going to be nations of men have been draining friendly to any of the nations inter- crazy you can clear out, Before their blood and resources to secure ested in you, but as an Asiatic I you go, though, just hand over that justice for mankind and great minds am deeply concerned in your welfare. salmon-rod, will you? I seem to are engaged in devising means to I, therefore, offer a few: remarks on remember that there was something end wars and miseries, while courageous and far-seeing statesmanship Half a dozen rods were examined, is bent upon promoting the solidarity When the Great War broke out, it patted, made notes upon, and, of the British Empire-witness, the was not regarded as a war between reverently returned to their cases. appointment of a Benguli Barrister was the commercial and imperialis- in their owner's absence Mrs. Stew- ment and making him a Peer of the tic rivalry existing among the great art had herself cleaned and oiled Realm-it is a pity that small minds in outlying parts should be enabled Then out came the well-stocked to continue to nuise racial animosities by claiming to base individual "Stand back for just a second," distinction and privilege not on high unwilling to join the war and Sir Stewart ordered, with the enthusiasm culture, not on service to the State Edward Grey (now Lord Grey), be it of a schoolboy starting on holiday, or to mankind, but on luck or accident of birth or a certain cutaneous complexion for the possession of many, conscious of her physical I begged for the club: I was catching which no credit is due. It looks that as Science devises more afficient Europe. In that case England could Up there in the tiny, rambling methods of slaughter, wars will be not but take up arms against the room we tried every club in the bag; necessary until every race or class aggressive German. She was afraid every shot which we could remember ceases to regard its Creator as different, like the German Gott, from that And when we stood, rather flushed of other human races. In the mean-

"Man!" my host exclaimed, "can selves, and to know that when they backsto it all again? D'you mind appear to bring them social justice Perthshire—the moors and the lochs that infest it in different spheres of life.—Yours faithfully.

> INDO-BRITON. Hongkong, 8th February,

OUR WHARVES

[To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL."

Hongkong, Feb. 10, 1919. Dear Sir.—"Interested" in your issue of Saturday does not make any effective reply to "Socialistic Imperialist" nor does he seem to realise that a 20 per cent. dividend from a Dean of Duquesne University in a The Japanese statesmen cannot be recent work on company finance:charge. Unless artificial restraints East is east and west is west" are introduced the monopoly

wrote Kipling. I believe in universal will collect all that the traffic will brotherhood. May the day dawn bear. This explains why the laws when the West gives up her pre. of the United States prohibit judice against the East. But yet monopoly, and restraint of trade. it is not so. Then the safest course and why public utility corporations. for China is to setfle her accounts operating essentially under monopowith Japan for good and work listic charters granted by the State. together for the advancement of are subject to close supervision in

Confucius. Taking for granted noted that stock-watering has often that Japan has been unmindful of been resorted to by public utility European nations have been im- China's amelioration in the past let companies for the purpose of coverperialistic before 1915. Japan, too, China win over Japan to her paci- ing up excessive charges which they has recognized the principle of fist principles. In this lies the good already have the power, but not the democracy along with the other na- of both the nations. The time and nerve, to collect.—Public utilities, tions. As to the nature of the energy wasted on widening the gulf however, are practical necessities of rates, and capitalization must be sub-

ject to careful public regulation." Yours faithfully, ,

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Hongkong Observatory, Feb. 11, 1919. C. W. JEFFRIER, Chief Assistant, 1. BAROMETER, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit, on the level of the sea in

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HONGKONG TIDES.

The tide-table given below has been compiled at the National Almanae Office in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an satomatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Tsim, Sha Tsu: iuring the years 1903-9.

The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty Chart, which has been found to be 4 feet inches below mean sea-level To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 3 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge. at Lamont Dock, Aberdsen, add 10 feet inches to the height given in the table.

February 12 to 18, 1919.

KOWLOON BRITISH SCHO L PRIZEGIVING.

IMPROVEMENT IN HEALTH.

In the presence of a large number of scholars and parents the prizes to the scholars of the above school were given away this morning by Mr. A E. Irving, the Director of Education, who was supported on the platform Total since January 1. 1.2: inches, by the Hendmaster, Mr. E. J. Edwards, Mrs. E. J. Edwards, and Capt. J. F. Penrce, Imspector Army Schools.

The Headinaster's (Mr. E. Edward's) report for the year em ing 31st December, 1918.

Attendance .- School was opened 172 times during the year. Maximum enrolment '87 November, "7 last year, and 71 in 1916. Minimum chrolment 67 July, 56 last year, and 51 in 1916. Average daily attendance 66.

Staff .-- Mrs. Chark joined the staff on January 28, and was placed charge of the Kindergarten Classes. Mrs. Eletcher was transferred toothe Peak School on June 1. Mrs. Thoinson joined the staff on September 7 Mrs. Chuk was granted three months' sick leave on October 1 but was able to resume her duties on December 10. Miss Robson proceeded on short leave on October 7 returned on November 4, and resigned on December 0. Miss Knight was appointed temporary pupil teacher on October 10. Mrs. Stark was transferred to the Peak School

at the end of the year.

Fees.—Upper - school, \$5 month; Lower school, \$3 per month. Health .- The attendance "was seriously affected by an outbreak of I measles in January, which eventually necess tated the School being closed for three weeks. When the School. re-pened on March 11, cerebro spinal meningitis had made its appeurance in the Colony and a large number of children were kept away in consequence. Two cases of diplithe a occurred in December. The Government Medical Officer, Dr. Smalley, carried out three inspections during the year. There are still a few cases of defective teeth. but a very marked improvement is maticeable in this respect.

Buildings.—No alterations have been made in the School Buildings. With the increased number of pupil now in attendance the school is in. need of at least two more large class,

University Local Examinations. One girl took the Hongkong Junior Local Examination in July and pass-Classes I and II were presented as candidates for the Hongkong University Local Examinations in December. One boy and one girl took the Senior Examination-both passed. Three boys and one girl took the Junior Examination—twoof a total of seven presented.

already referred to necessitated no less than three re-organisations of the School during the year. In spite French. of the difficulties thus caused the An- prize, conduct? nual December Examination shows arithmetic. that on the whole good progress has been made. Very creditable work was done in Classes 7 and 8. The improvement in handwriting has been maintained, but there are still individual cases which require the special attention of the teachers concerned. Owing to the war no fresh Kindergarten materials have been obtainable, and the Classes have therefore been dependent on the limited supplies in stock. Very good work has been done in this department, the school being very fortunate in having the services of a home-trained Kindergarten Mistress. The Director of Education visited the School in April and as a result of his visit a change of Chinese | progress.

Masters was made with very bene-

more even class and all good. Discipline.—The discipline and Kennedy, tong of the School continue very

been awarded.

. Cadet Corps. - Thirty-six boys belong to the Cadel Corps under the administration of the Hongkong Defence Corps. Physical and military drill, signalling and shooting are practised. Twenty-four boys attended the Annual Camps of Instruction held at Lo Wu during the Christmas

Athletics.—The boys are able to indulge in Swimming and Footbal through their connection with the Cadet Corps. The School is in need of a much larger playground the existing one being too small.

War Charities .- A collection has been made monthly on behalf of the War Charities Fund. During "the year \$130.05 was subscribed by the Scholars and handed to the Hon. Treasurer of the Fund. The total amount subscribed by the School to the end of 1918 was \$478.29.

Conclusion .-- I take this opportunity of expressing my appreciation of the able assistance and untiring efforts of the Staff during a trying

Mr. Irving then distributed the prizes to the following successful scholars:--

TRIZE LIST. Senior Boys. Class I.-Cedric Graham, Senior Local certificate, Dock Company's Scholarship and form prize. Class II. Stewart Ogilvie, Junior Local certificate, Government Free

2nd form prize. Class III.—Alan Robertson, Govern Free Scholarship and form prize. George Curry, 2nd fo m prize. Lewis Graham, general progress.

Scholarship and form prize. Leslie

Gropley, Junior Local certificate and

SENIOR GIRLS... Class I.—Kuthlean Murphy, Senior Local certificate, form prize, special prize, homework. "Class II. - Frances Coburn, form

Class III .- Bess'e George, form prize, special prize, homework, Suzanne Weill, drawing and needle-

Class IV .- Pearl Ogilvie, Government Free Scholarship and form "prize: Marjorie" Scott, drawing.

Class V.-Florence Neave, Dock of the boys passed. During the year Company's Scholarship, form prize, But he could see for himself that Edward special prize, conduct. Murphy, Government Free Scholar- good progress was being made. Studies.—The changes in staff ship and general progress. Gracie Sanders, arithmetic and French "Tarrant, recitation: and Herbert Duncan, special Romald Curry,

Class Va.--Earle Coburn, genera Class VI.—William Tillery, Gov-

ernment Free Scholarship, and form prize. Nettie Thorburn, general pro gress. Kathleen " Heron, general progress. Seton Rosser, history and composition. Carl Cropley, good

Class VIA .- Robert Witchell, general progress.

Class VII .- John Murphy, Government Free Scholarship, and form Francis Long, 2nd form prize. Dorothy Heron, general pro-

VIII.—Gerald Edwards form prize. Annie Smyth, general

Infant Class. - Sadio Thorburn ficial results, and the classes are now form prize; Ronald Gerrard, withmaking good progress in this difficult metic; John Martin, dictation; Jean subject. Mr. Law, Inspector of Anderson, spelling: Christopher Vernacular Schools, inspected the Holmes, reading; Eileen Donald classes in December, and reported: freading; Jack Bryson, scripture; Senior Class: This class has made Archie Frost, improvement; Arthur great progress; the book work is very Clark, writing; Laird Alexander, rethorough; Jun'or Class: This is a citation: Nord Russel, reading; Dorothy Avenall, recitation: David arithmetic: Diss. dictation; George arithmetic, and Scholarships. - The Scholarships Marian Bryson, reading; Arnold presented annually by the Hongkong | Long, arithmetic; "Jack Thomson, and Whampon Dock Company have writing; Charles Thomson, recitabeen awarded this year to Cedric | tion; WKathleen Green, conduct; Graham and Florence Neavel Six Earth Green, conduct; Dorothy Government Free Scholarships have Starkie, recitation; and Harry Diss

> MR. IRVING'S ADDRESS. Mr. Irving said there were one or two points in the Report about which he would like to say something. There was the matter of the health . of the children. "In this he " was greatly interested. A few days, ago he had been talking with Dr. Smalley who had been most enthusiastic over the improvement of the childrens! health. Especially were these improvements noticed with regard to the eyes and teeth. The reason for this' was the regular medical inspection which the children had to undergo. By means of these inspections small defects were noted and remedied in good time. At home the Board of Education had laid great stress on these inspections. It was unfair, both to teacher and child, to expect work from a child which was illa A child suffering from toothache, earache, or from cold feet, was not able to work. Another thing which he noticed

> was that the school was requiring two more rooms. The school certainly d'd seem to be crowded but the question was would the numbers next term justify an extension?, It was likely that next year there would be a large exodus of children from the Colony. Many children who, owing to the war, had not been able to get home would now be going and that was a thing to be borne in mind. The numbers at present in the higher classes were small. He was sure that if the numbers justified it the Government would do its best for the school. During the war the difficulties had been lack of money and short staffs but with the war over these difficulties were likely soon to be removed. The British children in Hongkong are handicapped. I would be better to send them all home but in a number of cases this could not be done and they had to do the best they could for those who stayed in the Colony.

He was glad to see from the Report the big boys of the school were: getting on so well with the study of ... Chinese. He had not had the Report of the Inspector of Schools on the school as the last time he saw Following the address of Mr.

Irving the scholars sung two songs. Three cheers and a "tiger" for Mr. Irving and the singing of the National Anthem terminated the function. A number of the parents stayed

behind to look at the praiseworthy exhibition of the scholars' work during the past year which was held in an adjoining room,

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A DANGEROUS MEASURE.

The the International Sugar Journal Mr. Martineau claimed that "the great success of the sugar industry and let it take advantage of the favin Java is due to natural advantages ourable position of the Java sugar coupled with that great capability on reserve to get, food in exchange. the part of the Dutch planters which The 1918-crop is practically sold, but has brought the Java industry to an exceptionally high pitch of perfect it is not wholly shipped yet. Dutch

This judgment was used by other writers to stimulate the sugar plan- THE YANGISZE POO COTTON MILL ters from different British colonies to greater activity and the adoption of modern methods, efficient machinery and a liberal use of fertilizers. "One ton sugar per acre" is the slogan used in this campaign.

British India, an important market for Dutch Indian sugar, has already fargely extended its augar areas. The Philippine Islands at last have also adopted modern methods and has had some very prosperous years, is also extending and improving. Yet in October 1918 one could read

in-Facts about Sugar Every calculation indicates that the world will be short on sugar for. years to come." Every producer sees the need of additional working capa To pay Dividend of Tls.

That was on account of the fact that nothing pointed to a revival of the beet-sugar industry of Europe. Since then reports from France informed us that the beet-sugar industry in the North of France, anow freed from the Germans, was to be revived as soon as possible. Of course there will be a shortage but it will not fast so long as is generally thought. Moreover, there is no saying that the Java sugar will benefit by this shortage. It is not so long ago that every other sugar country benefitted and Java experienced serious losses. Java does To pay la Bonus to Mill not market the bulk of its sugars in Europe. It is even in darger of To carry forward to New losing in years to come that customer British India.

At all events it would be sensible if Java in order to be prepared for all possibilities could lower the cost of production and raise the yield per acre. But it is already certain that Java will have to pay higher wages and land rents.

The Java sugar industry cannot afford to take things easy in the there has been a steady demand, at years to come and we would say that rising prices, for investments in tea, theD. E. I. Government will have to handle this industry with care if it sets the least value upon it.

it wise to reduce the sugar areas by lable to increase their holdings in 25 per cent, on account of the rice such companies as Malayalam and scarcity in Java. The sugar planters the Rubber Trust, which are interestremonstrated and said that they could easily get the amount of food ed in both producte. Coffee still that was needed. They pointed to the looks promising, and in spite of the heavy loss this reduction would inflict rise rubber-cum-coffee," shares are supon the natives who probably would not use the fields they got back and expected to go higher. Coconut thus lose the wages to buy food with. shares, too, are wanted." One of the But it was of no avail.

Java sugar industry, the effect of which will be felt a long time afterwards and may lead to all sorts of dangerous consequences and complications. The areas have been extended lately in order to decrease the costprice. The result of a forced reduction is obvious.

The position of Java sugar on th world's market is favourable for the moment. But there is no saying how long this will last. The favour able position mainly concerns ready sugars stocked now in Java, as wi be shown by the following note from the editor of "Facts about Sugar in a leader under the heading ' World's sugar shortage grows " (in the November issue).

Periods of drought have been reported from nearly all sugar producing countries during the past season, and their effect is recorded in crop returns which almost uni formly show diminished yields as compared with earlier estimates. It begins to look as though an early ending of the war would leave Java as ply of sugar. Java's stocks, while ket. representing a large tonnage, would Prye, which I mentioned last week; not last long if subjected to a world- are interested in both rubber and wide demand-"-

This calls attention to the import- ing the next few years to make inant part the Java sugar stock now creasing profits from both products. plays in the world's food distribution. A world-wide demand for Java sugar will inflate the price, but as a matter of fact it will also create such a position for Java sugars that it may be possible if cleverly handled by the Government to use the export of sugar as a means to get rice in

FURS:

And if this is done with success: there will be no reason to reduce the arens of the Java sugar estates!

So, if we may venture to offer advice it would be this; let the Government leave the sugar industry alone if it sees no reason to strengthen it Hat Indian Reviews

LIMITED.

Report for presentation at the fourth ordinary meeting of shareholders to be held at the offices of

the General Managers, on March 5. The General Managers submit a Statement, of Accounts to 31st Dec-

ember, 1918, showing the result of expect a bigger crop. Cuba which twelve month's working to that date. The Balance at Credit of Profit and Loss is Tls. 403,494.82, which it is proposed to deal with as follows:-

> To pay Dividend on 5,000 . Tis. Preference Shares at " 7% 35\000.00

0.80 per share on 200,000 "Ordinary Shares 160,000.00 add to Equalization of

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Staff Account

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TEA, COFFEE, AND COCONUTS.

With the termination of the war coffee, and copra. Tea shares having led the way, are now in scanty sup-The Government however deemed ply, and readers may find it advis-

This is a very serious blow for the __Straits Plantations-has just is- order that they might be in a posisued its annual report, showing that tion to meet whatever unseen diffi-1,200 tons of copra manufactured culties might lie ahead. With that at £45 7s. Od. per ton, but so great try. is the demand that at Marseilles where the price is unrestricted, the quotation was recently 'as high as £90 per ton. These prices, of course, are abnormal, and will drop considerably as freight becomes available; but the consumption of copra in the numufacture of margarine has greatly increased during the war, and for some time to come prices are likely to he higher. Although during the last three years Straits Plantations, like other coconut companies, has done-badly, and is passing its dividend, the shares are strongly held the sole repository of a reserve sup- and seldom change hands in the mar-Bah Line, Jugra Land, and



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coconuts, and may be expected dur-

YARN MARKET.

Messrs. Polishwalla & Kotwall, the Cotton & Yarn-Brokers, report to-day. Since our last report on the 10th Ult. by Str. "Dilwara," our yarn market has not undergone any materchange, except that a slight decline in the rates has been registered owing, of course, to the heavy drop in American cotton.

During this interval, the business. both spot and to arrive, has passed in about 9000 bales mostly in known chops of 10s and 12s yarn at a reduction of \$4 per bale.

The peculiar feature of the market is, that notwithstanding the above decline No. 20s yarn has increased about \$10 in price on account of no stock and less probability of any arrivals in near future.

We close with a steady tendency. Latest cable advice from Bombay speaks of resumption of the mil hands' strike there and mills are reported to have closed down again. Total sales during this interval

amount to 9,000 Bales. Bargains in Chinese hands about 14,000 bales. The Mail Str. "Dilwara, and

extra Str. "Hejaz" brought in 9000 bales, for Hongkong and 4000 bales for Shanghai. Shanghai reported during the early

period, "a very meagre business at a decline of taels 3 per bale, but on Company's Office, ALEXANDEA BUILDINGS. opening of the market after the holidays, a very brisk business has been done with prices advancing all round. Hims stated in the Company's time tables Japanese Yarn. For some time but not for special cars, can be obtained past, the arrivals were very small on application at the Company's Office.

sales are effected during the interval Quotations and sales are as follows:-150 Bales Nagasaki No. 20s at \$265/270. Bales 3 Horses No. 16s at \$255, Horses No. 20s at \$265 1500 Bales Yellow Joss No. 20s at \$247/269/263, Setsu No. 10s at \$215, Setsu No. 20s \$273, Blue Fish

No. 20s at \$267. Raw Cotton.—Bengal : no stock. Quotation \$48 to 54 per picul. Chinese: 400 small bales are sold at \$55 to 57 per picul.

SOUTH DURHAM STEEL AND IRON.

The adjourned 19th annual meet-Ing for 1917 of the South Durham Steel and Iron Company, Limited, was held at Stockton-on-Tees. Viscount Furness, chairman, presiding, said they were at last in a position to submit the figures for the twelve months ended September 30, 1917. The divisible profits, after making provision for income tax, depreciation, and special reserve, amounted to £335,532, or about £56,000 more than in 1916. At the same time the directors had deemed it prudent to refrain from increasing the not inconsiderable dividend of 20 per cent. paid, conserving instead oldest and best coconut companies the resources of the company, in during the year at an f.o.b. cost of create special reserves. The direc-£10 18s. 2d. per ton were sold locally tors had carefully considered the ist the net price of £15 Os. 'bd. per policy with regard to post-war conton, after deducting sale charges, ditions, especially in view of the In consequence of shipping difficult coming increased production, of ties practically the whole of the crop plates from several new works which had to be sold in the East. In Lon- were being erected in some of the don the price of copm is controlled large producing districts of the coun-

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STAFF AND DEPTS. v. R.G.A. SERGTS. MESS.

This, match was resumed at the Soldiers' Club last night, the Staff and Departments holding a lead of 138. Captain Lammert and Sergt. Webb were the first pair and at one time the Sergeant looked the winner. Captain Lammert pulled up and finally won by 38 points. Staff Sergt. Stanley and C. Q. M. Sergt. Rivers were the next pair, this time the R.G.A. winning by 14 points. When Staff Sergt, Gibbons and Sergt, Major Tatton commenced the final game the Staff had as good as won, Gibbons maly requiring 41 to win the match for his team. He quickly scored these but Tatton won the game by 32 points. The best breaks last night were: Rivers, 29; Tatton, 27; Stanley, 22; and Webb, 18. The Staff and Depriments pass into the semi-final with a win by 130 points. The final sco es follow:

STAIF AND DEPTS. Staff Sgt. Lyth 200 Sengt.-Major Sainsbury 200 Q.M. Sergt. Sherrif...... 200 Sgt. Sherratt 200 Capt. Lammert 200 Staff Sgt. Stanley 186 Staff Sgt. Gibbons 168

Total......1512 R.G.A. SGTS. MESS. Sgt. Talfourd 200 C.S.M. Fragnell 154 C.S.M. Youngman'..... 161

Sgt. Webb 162 C.Q.M.S. Rivers 200 Sergt.-Major Tatton 200 Total.....1382

THE SEMI-FINALS.

Play for the semi-finals is now ready and the draw is as follows! Manchester Regt. A 88th Co. R.G.A.

83rd Co. R.G.A. v. Staff and Departments. The first-named match will commence to night.

COLONY'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

At the V.R.C. last, Mr. J.G. Foulds of Taikoo was no match for Mr. R. W. Bearne of the Naval Yard, the latter scoring an easy win. There was a fair attendance, but play was mot of a high standard, the best break being a 26 by Bearne. Scores: R.W. Bearne, 400; J.G. Foulder

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PARADE REPORTS.

The sending in of Weekly Parade Reports (Form No. 10) is disconfinued until further orders. SUPERINTENDENTS, INSPEC-

TORS, &c. All Superintendents, Inspectors and Unit Commanders will attend at H. Q. Office on Thursday, February 13, at 6 p.m.

INSPECTION." All ranks except Mounted Police. will parade on the H.K. Defence

Corps Headquarters Parade Ground Apext Colonial Secretary's Office) at 3 p.m. on Saturday, February 15. Mounted Police will parade as direct-

Blue Uniform. Helmets with wikes, belts, rifles. Superintendents and Inspectors wear Swords and

Patrolmen on duty and General Exempts will attend. NOS. 1 & 3 COMPANIES.

All Absentees from parades of Nos. 1 & 2 Platoons and No. 3 Company of February 5, 6 and 7 will attend at Central at 5.30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 12. Uniform: helmets, telts and Rifles.

NO. 2 COMPANY. Parade of February 10, having been cancelled under D.O. 16 C., all members of No. 2 Company will parade under Company Commander at H.K.D.C. Headquarters at 2.40 p.m. on Saturday, February 15.

STRENGTH. Constables 784 Thomas and 513 Remedios are dismissed.

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YAMAGATA MARU, N.Y.E., from Calcutta, with mail. FEBRUARY 14. TAISHO "MARU," N.Y.K., Calcutta, with mail.

FEBRUARY 15. BANRI MARU, D. & Co. from Java FEBRUARY 18. KAMAKURA MARU, N.Y.R., from Japan, with mail.

FEBRUARY 18. COLOMBIA, Pacific Mail, from San Francisco, with mail. 'YO MARU, N.Y.K., from London, YETOROFU MARU, N.Y.K., from Calcutta, with mail.

TEBRUART 20. HECTOR, B. and S., from Liverpool. FEBRUARY 91. TANGO MARU, N.Y. K., from Austraffa, with mail.

FEBRUARY 22-NORE, P. and O., from Yokohama. FEBRUARY 25. SHINYO MARU, T.K.K., from San Francisco, with mail. ELPENOR, B. and S., from Liverpool. FEBRUARY 28. AGAPENOR, B. and S., from Liverpool.

MARCH 1. LAOMEDON, B. and S., from Liver-"MARCH'3. RIOJUN MARU, D, & Co., from Japan, with mail. MARCH 8. ANYO MARU, T.K.K.,

Valparaiso. MARCH 10. BORNEO MARU, D. & Co., from FUSHIMI MARU, N.Y.K., from Seattle, with mail. MARCH 15.

PROTESILAUS, B. and S., from NANKING, China Mail, from San Francisco, with mail.

DEPARTING VESSELS.

FEBRUARY 11. DUNERA, P. and O. for Bombay. INDUS MARU, O.S.K., for Marseilles, MAUSANG, J.M., for Sandakan. FEBRUARY 19.

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FEBRUARY 15. Aires and Bio de Saneiro. TAISHO MARU, N.Y.K., for Japan. TENYO MARU, T.K.K., for San

Francisco. FEBRUARY 17. MISHIMA MARU, N.Y.K., for London. FEBRUARY 18. BANRI MARU, D and Co. for Japan.

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NORE, P. and O., for London, via Marseilles. FEBRUARY 25. AFRICA MARU, O.S.K., for Victoria.

FEBRUARY 28. ELPENOR, B. and S., for Japan, via FEBRUARY 17.

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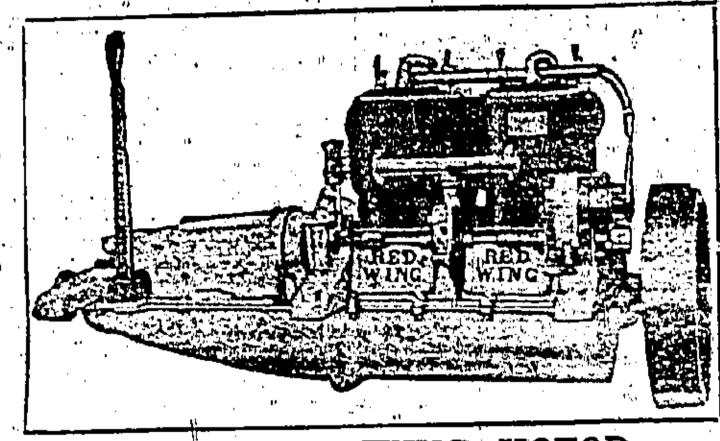
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Moji—Per NOVARA, 11 a.m.
Japan via Yokohama—Per MIKAGE Mrs Kilbee & child MARU, 11 a.m. Java and Port Moresby via Batavia-Per HOKUTO MARU, 1 p.m. Shanghai and North China - Per ATREUS, 2 p.m. Mr F. W. McGrath Mr and Mrs Carbo Mr H. M. McTavish Ningpe, Shanghai and North China-Per TAMSUI, 3 p.m. Swatow, Amoy and Formosa via Takao-Per SOSHU MARU, 5.00 p.m.

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Haiphong-Per LOKSANG, 5 p.m.

FRIDAY, February 14. Mr and Mrs. W.Mr and Mrs S. H. Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per HAl-HONG, 1 p.m. Straits and Bangkok-Per HINSANG 2 p.m. Philippine Islands—Per YUENSANG, 2 p.m.

SATURDAY, February 15... Shanghai, North China, Japan Nagasaki, Honolulu, Canada, United States, Central and South America, and EUROPE via San Francisco—Per TENYO MARU, Registration 9.45 a.m., Letters 10.30 a.m. Shanghai and North China-Per CHENAN, 2 p.m. SUNDAY, February 16.

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